



MODOC NATIONAL FOREST

OUTREACH NOTICE

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Supervisor's Office, Alturas, California

Forestry Technician (Harvest Inspector) GS-0462-06

The Modoc National Forest is currently seeking a candidate for a not to exceed **(NTE) 120 day Detail** for a **Forestry Technician (Harvest Inspector), GS-0462/06** position with a duty station in **Alturas, California**.

Interested applicants, or those desiring further information, may contact **Bill Moore**, Forest Vegetation Program Manager, at (530) 233-8736 or email at wmoore02@fs.fed.us.

Major Duties:

- Monitors and inspects timber sale operations having common contract requirements and conditions.
- Performs inspection of timber sale areas for compliance with standard contract clauses governing location and construction of nonsystem roads, fire prevention, personal safety precautions, and cutting provisions. Reports noncompliance to supervisor.
- Interprets and explains standard timber sale contract provisions, and technical methods to be employed to the timber operator. Informs supervisor of problems that have an effect on other forest resources or accuracy of marking and scaling.
- Prepares written reports of sale inspections and makes follow-ups on deficiencies. Recommends acceptance of the contract for closure.

About the Modoc National Forest:

The Modoc National Forest is landscaped with mountains, pine forests, meadows, lakes, streams, rugged canyons, wetlands, lava beds, and high desert plateaus...a land of contrasts, where crowds and congestion are non-existent. The environment experiences warm, dry summers and cold wet winters. The record high temperature is 106 degrees and the low 35 degrees below zero. Precipitation ranges from 4.94" to 20.8", with an annual average of 12.0". Elevations range from 4,300' to 9,934'. The forest covers 1,979,407 acres.

The Modoc is an exciting destination for those interested in history and archeology. The Forest lies within an area occupied by Modoc, Achomawi (or Pit River), and Northern Paiute Native American tribes, with archeological evidence which suggests the area's first inhabitants settled here more than 10,000 years ago. The Forest is home to more than 300 species of wildlife, including threatened, endangered, rare or sensitive species like the Rocky Mountain mule deer, Pronghorn antelope, and Canadian geese. A wild horse and burro territory is located in the Devil's Garden and Doublehead Ranger Districts. The Pacific Flyway for migratory waterfowl crosses directly over the Modoc National Forest.

The South Warner Wilderness area offers backpackers and horseback riders 79 miles of trails in the 70,385 acres area. Winter recreation is available at the Cedar Pass Snow Park, 15 miles east of Alturas. A snowmobile trailhead is located at the Doorknob Snow Park, 1 ½ miles south of the Lava Beds National Monument. You can choose from a variety of campgrounds or picnic areas, available on a first come first served basis. Recreational opportunities include hunting, fishing, camping, hiking, horseback riding, hang gliding, snow and water skiing, bird watching, and collecting rocks and gemstones.

More information on the Modoc National Forest is on our website: <http://fs.usda.gov/modoc/>.

About Alturas:

The Supervisor's office is located in Alturas, CA, which has a population of 3000, and is the county seat of Modoc County. Alturas is a full service community with a hospital, doctors, public schools, businesses, and recreational facilities. The cost of living is reasonable. Home costs range from \$100,000 to \$250,000. Rentals for 2-3 bedrooms are approximately \$300-\$500. The public school system provides instruction for grades K-12 and offers numerous extra-curricular activities. Additionally, the Lassen College Extension Office offers a variety of night courses. Alturas also has various churches representing many denominations.

For More Information Contact: Alturas Chamber of Commerce, 522 S. Main Street, Alturas, and CA. 96101. Telephone is 530-222-4433; and, FAX 530-222-4434, or visit their website at www.alturaschamber.org/

This outreach form does not constitute an application.

OUTREACH RESPONSE FORM



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Please submit outreach response to Bill Moore at wmoore02@fs.fed.us

On or before June 3, 2013

Modoc National Forest

NAME:

E-MAIL ADDRESS:

MAILING ADDRESS:

TELEPHONE NUMBER:

AGENCY EMPLOYED WITH: ☐ {USFS ☐ {BLM {OTHER

TYPE OF APPOINTMENT: ☐ {PERMANENT ☐ {TEMPORARY ☐ {TERM

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{DISTRICT

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